

WORLD OF RADIO #1072, produced March 14, 2001 by Glenn Hauser

- *Standard disclaimer
- *New March edition of Continent of Media 01-03 should start March 16 on RFPI, Fridays 1900 plus usual repeats
- *New edition of Mundo Radial starts March 16 on WWCR, Fridays 2215 on 9475
- *WWCR carrying Public Radio International program Dialogue; lobby for other public radio programs to get SW exposure
- *New Mexico to get its second SW station, at Pinon, two 50 kW by same missionary organization as HRMI Honduras, IMF
- *Other DX programs will be featuring coverage of SW Winterfest of last weekend; including Viva Miami on WRMI, UT Sundays 0330 on 7385; see <http://www.wrmi.net/portfolio.html> for other possible airtimes
- *HAARP says it was not on the air when some believed they were receiving it on 3390; so what was it?
- *Excellent wrapup by Harry Helms about mysterious signals on 1136 from restricted areas in Nevada, tho inconclusive: the Newsroom at <http://www.DXing.com>
- *Coordinated downtime of 1080 stations KRLD and WTIC postponed from March 4 to March 18, early Sunday morning
- *FCC relaxing requirements on directional AM stations to measure radials ensuring correct operation
- *Kentucky State Militia Radio, SW clandestine on 3260-USB, operating regular schedule, an hour every night (recording); possibly facing armed resistance, will the FCC rush to bust it as it did relatively insignificant FM pirates?
- *New calls and format for ex-classical WNIB 97.1 Chicago revealed March 15 at 7 am
- *R. Vancouver International never reported by any known DXer, and now seems to have given up on SW
- *Another Canadian ethnic programmer seeking investors for a SW station, Dimple Seth with Indian film music in Montreal
- *Allan Weiner attended SW Winterfest this year for the first time, and announced at banquet that the M/V Katie will be outfitted with SW transmitter, and go to Belize this summer where licensing is assured, ``radio fun`` promoting SW; WBCQ had a stretch limo standing by at Kulpville
- *HRMI, Honduras, back after a year on new 5010; same organization planning SW in New Mexico
- *Cesar Objio writing a book on history of radio in the Dominican Republic, and wants copies of any verifications to illustrate; send to him at Calle Enrique Henriques 69, Ensanche Lugo, Gazcue, Santo Domingo
- *Alo, Presidente, Venezuelan call-in via Cuba back after hiatus, and better frequency for North America, 9820, Sundays 1400-1800
- *You're listening to the winner of the 2001 Fessenden Award, WOR. This is edition 1072, wghauser@hotmail.com or P O Box 1684, Enid

OK 73702 USA; website including recent audio files, DX Listening Digest, WOR, COM summaries: <http://www.angelfire.com/ok/worldofradio>

*Thanks this week for financial support go to Bill Flynn

*R. Estacion X, out-of-band Peruvian on 5544.7 with romantic music

*R. Sarandi del Yi, new Uruguayan on the air, 6154 (recording)

*Site with articles about African media <http://www.theperspective.org> including Liberia: <http://www.theperspective.org/suffocating.html>

*ORTM, Bamako, Mali heard with weekly English news magazine

*R. Cameroon, Buea provincial station scheduled with English on 6005

*V. of Turkey trying live call-in; set up via ankayra@yahoo.com -- and VOT's summer frequencies to North America
[later: call-in is UT Tue 2315 on 9655; not UT Monday: DXLD 1-035]

*BSKSA, Sa'udi Arabia heard with English on SW; by mistake?

*Arabic and Kurdish language schedule on R. Bopeshawa clandestine

*Sedaye Mojahed, Iranian clandestine does not have home frequencies ending in XX20

*All India Radio, Goa, in the clear with English news

*Bill Flynn, Oregon celebrating his 54th year of DXing

*Tirth Raj Prayag proposed new name for Allahabad, India

*R. Thailand frequency change for North America now in effect: 13695

*V. of Justice, clandestine for Cambodia, missing alternate weeks, and the week in between at wrong time

*R. Korea International monthly tourism specials on Thursdays, but varying month to month; in March on the 22nd

*Christian Voice, frequency schedule via Darwin for A-01 season

*R. New Zealand International new frequency schedule from March 18, with the end of DST

*BBC WS previews: final edition of Waveguide from March 23; Counterpoint; Essential Guide on global warming, genetic manipulation. Times may change from March 25

*R. Nova International, UK pirate on 9290, heard in Pennsylvania

*March 18th is 25th anniversary of death of Eddie Startz, original Happy Station host

*R. France International halved English at 12 and 14, adding morning English to Africa, but not on SW

*Swiss Radio International phasing out SW by end of 2004; but to NAm ending this year; plans to be internet-only, English-only

*YLE R. Finland staying with English in morning this summer to NAm

*President of Yugoslavia promotes RY resuming SW via Bosnia

*R. Bulgaria's summer English schedule, all on 'even' frequencies

*R. Tirana, Albania's summer English schedule

*R. Prague stays on 21745 in our mornings, but not to NAm

*Russians have invented ``bioresonance pictographic modulator`` to protect us against radiation from TV, computers, cellphones

*Propagation outlook from Boulder March 13: flux range 150-140-165

*That's WOR 1072; I'm Glenn Hauser

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